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MONTEZUMA

Stocking Rose Gardens

San Jose, Calif.

1955



1956

Gay Floribundas



SPARTAN



JIMINY CRICKETS



We reserve the right to substitute on special collections if necessary.

CIRCUS



(Swim '55)

\$2.50

The only rose to receive an All American Award for 1956 is indeed a colorful addition to our floribunda list. The perfect yellow buds edged red go through a delightful succession of color changes of buff, yellow, orange, scarlet, pink and red depending upon the weather. The bushy plants are compact with good leathery foliage to the ground. Very showy.

PLANT PAT. 1382

SPARTAN (Boerner '55)

\$2.75

A glorious orange-red flower on a handsome and exceedingly disease resistant plant. Spartan is vigorous and a prolific bloomer. It has been spectacular in our fields last fall and this spring and summer. The beautifully formed buds come singly and in clusters and open to double flowers of 40 petals. Excellent for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 1357

JIMINY CRICKETS



(Boerner '54)

\$2.25

The 1955 AARS floribunda winner features gay, tangerine buds that soften to a coral orange in the open flower. Flowers are borne singly and in clusters on a bushy, compact plant with bronzy green foliage. Plant is disease resistant, gives excellent repeat bloom and has a mild fragrance.

PLANT PAT. 1346

One each of these three varieties \$6.25

You save 1.25

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CIRCUS



Three New Roses

GRAND'MERE JENNY (Meilland '50)

\$2.00

Richly golden buds blushed pink make this a rose worthy to be named after the hybridizer's grandmother. The open flower is of pastel tints of pink and yellow. Plants are bushy and profuse bloomers. A seedling of Peace (with its good foliage too) that bears a delicate resemblance to it.

PLANT PAT. 1148

LOVESONG (Fisher '55)

\$2.50

A very large glowing pink rose with a reverse of yellow. This breath-taking bicolor is a seedling of Peace and has inherited its luxurious foliage, vigor, sturdy stems, and disease resistance. The large, fat buds develop into huge blossoms of 35-55 petals. The fully-opened flowers are even more colorful than the buds.

PLANT PAT. 1360

MONTEZUMA (Swim '55)

\$2.75

A glorious grandiflora (see front cover) of brilliant orange-scarlet. The vivid buds are beautifully formed and soften to a salmon-orange in warmer weather. Plants are vigorous, free-branching, and excellent bloomers. Has been outstanding in our fields. Excellent for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 1383

One each of these three varieties \$6.05

You save 1.20

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GRAND'MERE JENNY



LOVESONG



MONTEZUMA

All American Five

The roses pictured on this page are five of the finest hybrid teas that have received the coveted All American Award. Each of them is gaining in popularity with gardeners everywhere as shown by the increased demand for them. All are robust growers and will produce quantities of fragrant bloom for you from spring until fall.

One each of these five roses \$9.80

You save 1.95

(In Calif. add 3% sales tax)



HELEN
TRAUBEL



SUTTER'S
GOLD



CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG



CHRYSLER
IMPERIAL



PEACE



To Our Rose Patrons

Another rose season is at hand, and with it come several new and outstanding roses to add to our gardens. The new varieties have been tested two or more years in our trial gardens. We are fortunate in having one of the twenty-two All America Test Gardens in the U. S. The roses are watched very carefully and judged on thirteen points. Only those with the highest ratings are we offering to you.

We thank you for your patronage and trust our roses are giving you a great deal of pleasure. Should you ever have a disappointment with our roses, a satisfactory adjustment will be made.

Our rose bushes are excellent this year and we are confident you will be pleased with them. Please feel free to call on us at any time to assist you in planning or maintaining your rose garden. May we enjoy more rose fellowship this coming year.

Sincerely yours,

Clyde + Ramona Stocking

George Haight

Bush Roses

Patented varieties of roses listed are being handled under license from the patent owners.

AUTUMN

\$1.50

An unusual combination of deep burnt orange and pink streaked with red. Moderately fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong upright grower with an abundance of thick glossy foliage. Mildews in some locations. Excellent in coastal regions.

BLANCHE MALLERIN

\$2.00

A pure white fragrant rose whose long buds open to 3 1/2 to 4 inch blooms. The petals of this high centered flower have a lively satiny sheen. Plants are erect, free branching, and good bloomers. Lovely for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 594

CAPISTRANO



(Germain's Seed Co.)

\$2.00

This vigorous, upright rose produces an early abundance of large buds and flowers of a rich shade of deep glowing pink, with good fragrance. Capistrano grows about 5-6 ft. in height and is well clothed in heavy, leathery foliage.

PLANT PAT. 922

CAPRICE

\$1.50

A red blend with a reverse of yellow on a vigorous, glossy reddish-green bushy plant. A prolific bloomer for us and very vigorous. Should be wonderful along the coast. Takes partial shade.

CHARLES MALLERIN (Meiland '51)

\$2.50

A magnificent deep red rose whose petals have a blackish sheen and velvety texture. Extremely fragrant. It is a strong grower and may send out extremely vigorous ground canes which do not always make for a well balanced plant.

PLANT PAT. 233

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG



(Lammerts '40) \$2.00

One of the finest roses ever introduced because of its abundance of excellent bloom and robust plant. The blood red buds are long, pointed and open to deep pink or red blooms depending on weather conditions. At its best in warmer areas.

PLANT PAT. 455

CHRISTOPHER STONE

\$1.50

This large, vivid scarlet rose with a velvety crimson sheen

in the open flower will be one of the most brilliant and colorful in your garden. The bud is long, pointed, and moderately fragrant. The foliage is a bronzy green that may mildew and rust in those areas where such diseases are a problem.

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL



(Lammerts '53)

\$2.50

Undoubtedly the best all 'round red rose. Flowers are large, very double, and have a fine fragrance. Plants are bushy, compact, and generous with their blooms. Foliage is a semi-glossy dark green that is disease resistant.

PLANT PAT. 1167

CRESTED PINK MOSS

\$1.50

The favorite of the pink mosses and probably the one your grandmother had. The unopened buds are charming with their three crested or tufted sepals. The full blown rose is very double and pleasantly fragrant. It is best used in the background of your garden.

CRIMSON GLORY (Kordes)

\$1.50

In some sections of the country this rose has been acclaimed the best red rose. Of perfect form, the large, double urn-shaped flowers are a deep velvety crimson and intensely fragrant. The plant is a vigorous, bushy grower and continuous bloomer. At best in warm climates.

DAINTY BESS

\$1.25

Dusky pink with crimson stamens. One of the loveliest and most popular of the singles. Good as a cut flower if cut in a tight bud.

DUCHESS of PENARANDA

\$1.25

Here is an appealing color. The buds are brilliant orange, opening to coppery apricot. However, this color does change at different times of the year and as the flower ages. The plant is a strong grower with plenty of glossy, light green foliage, and an abundance of fragrant blooms.

ECLIPSE (Nicolas)

\$1.50

This is unquestionably one of the best all-purpose yellow roses. The elegant streamlined buds are borne on long,

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CATALOGUE LIST

While we have given the average height and habit of growth in the following table, it must be remembered that plants may vary greatly in different soils, climates and gardening techniques.

HYBRID TEA ROSES

(AARS—All American Rose Selection)

KEY: { U—Upright
S—Spreading
*—Still testing
General—Generally good in U. S.

VARIETY	COLOR	HEIGHT	HABIT	ADAPTABILITY	PRICE
Autumn	Burnt orange	3½-4	U-S	General	\$1.50
Blanche Mallerin	White	3	U	Warm climate	2.00
AARS Capistrano	Pink	5-6	U	General	2.00
Caprice	Red & yellow	4	U-S	"	1.50
Charles Mallerin	Deep red	3-5	U	"	2.50
AARS Charlotte Armstrong	Deep pink	3-5	U	"	2.00
Christopher Stone	Red	2	S	General	1.50
AARS Chrysler Imperial	Crimson	3	U-compact	"	2.50
Claude	Oriental red	2-3	U-S	"	2.00
Crested Pink Moss	Pink	5	U	Warm	1.50
Crimson Glory	Red	3-4	S	Warmer areas	1.50
Dainty Bess	Pale pink	3-4	U	General	1.25
Duchess of Penaranda	Apricot	3	U	"	1.25
Eclipse	Yellow	3-4	U	"	1.50
Ena Harkness	Red	2-3	U	"	1.50
Etoile de Holland	Red	3	U-S	"	1.50
Fandango	Light red	2½	S	"	2.00
First Love	Dawn pink	4-5	U-S	"	2.25
AARS Forty-Niner	Red & Yellow	3	U	Rocky Mt. area—varies in others	2.25
Frau Karl Druschki	White	4-5	U-S	General	1.25
AARS Fred Edmunds	Orange	2	S	Pacific Coast	2.00
AARS Fred Howard	Buff yellow	5-6	U-S	General	2.50
Girona	Red & yellow	5-6	U	"	1.50
Golden Scepter	Yellow	3	S	"	2.00
Good News	Coppery pink	3-4	U-S	Warmer climates	2.00
AARS Grande D. Charlotte	Tomato red	4	U-S	General	2.00
Grand'mere Jenny	Pink & yellow	3	U	"	2.00
AARS Helen Traubel	Apricot pink	4-5	U-S	"	2.50
J. Otto Thilow	Pink	3-4	U-S	"	1.50
Juno	Pink	2½	U	"	2.25
AARS K. T. Marshall	Salmon pink	4-5	U	"	1.75
Karl Herbst	Scarlet	3	U-S	"	2.00
Lady Forteviot	Apricot yellow	3	U-S	Pacific Coast	1.50
Lady Trent	Coppery salmon	2	U	General	1.50
Love Song	Salmon & yellow	2-3	U	"	2.50
AARS Lowell Thomas	Yellow	3	U	"	2.00
Lulu	Salmon rose	2	S	"	1.25
Lydia	Yellow deep	2½-3	S	"	1.50
Mark Sullivan	Yellow & cerise	4	S	Pacific Coast-Rocky Mts.	1.75
McGredy's Yellow	Yellow	3	U-S	General	1.50
Michelle Meiland	Shell pink salmon	2-2½	U-S	"	2.00
AARS Mission Bells	Salmon pink	3-4	U-S	"	2.00
Mme. Henri Guillot	Coral red	2-3	S	"	2.00
AARS Mojave	Orange	4	U	"	2.75
Mrs. Miniver	Red	2½	U&S	"	2.50
Mrs. Sam McGredy	Salmon	2½	S	"	1.50
Neige Parfum	White	2	U	"	1.50
Neville Chamberlain	Salmon buff	2½	U-S	Pacific Coast	1.75
New Yorker	Red	3-4	U	General	2.00
AARS Nocturne	Red	3-4	U	General except S. F. Bay	2.00
AARS Peace	Yellow	3-4	U-S	General	2.50
Peach Blow	Peach pink	2½-3	U	"	1.50
Picture	Pink	2-3	U	"	1.50
Pres. Hoover	Orange pink	5-6	U	"	1.25
Red Ensign	Red	3-4	U	"	2.00
AARS Rubaiyat	Red	3-4	U	"	1.75
AARS San Fernando	Red	2-3	U	Warm areas	1.75
Saturnia	Red salmon	3-4	S	Cool areas	1.75
Shining Star	Yellow	2-3	U&S	"	1.50
Show Girl	Pink	3	U	General	2.00
Signora	Burnt Sienna	4	U	"	1.75
Sleigh Bells	White	4-5	U	"	2.00
Snowbird	White	2-4	S	"	1.50
Sonata	Pink	3	U	"	1.75
AARS Sutter's Gold	Yellow	4-5	U	"	2.25
Sweet Sixteen	Light pink	3-4	S	"	1.75
Tahiti	Yellow pink	4-5	U	"	2.00
Talisman	Red yellow	3-4	U	"	1.25
AARS Tallyho	Old rose	3-5	U	"	2.00
Texas Centennial	Light red	5-6	U	"	1.50
The Doctor	Pink	2½	U	"	1.50
AARS Tiffany	Pink flushed gold	3-4	U	Warm areas	2.75

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Virgo	White	2½	U	General	\$2.00
William Harvey	Scarlet	3	U	"	2.00

GRANDIFLORAS

Buccaneer	Clear yellow	5-7	U	General	\$2.50
Carrousel	Red	3-4	U-S	"	2.00
Montezuma	Salmon orange	3-4	U-S	"	2.75
AARS Queen Elizabeth	Clear pink	5-6	U-S	"	2.75

POLYANTHA AND FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Baby Blaze	Cherry red	2½-3	U-S	General	\$2.00
Betty Prior	Carmine	5-6	U-S	"	1.50
Border Queen	Salmon pink	2½-3½	U-S	"	2.00
Cecile Brunner	Pink	3	S	"	1.50
China Doll	Pink	15-18 in.	compact	"	2.00
AARS Circus	Multi-color	2	compact	"	2.50
Cocorico	Orange red	3-4	U	"	2.00
AARS Fashion	Coral	2½	U-S	"	2.00
AARS Floradora	Scarlet orange	4-6	U	"	1.50
Frensham	Red	3-4	U-S	"	1.50
Garnette	Red	2	Bushy	"	1.50
Goldilocks	Yellow	2½-4	S	General	1.50
AARS Jiminy Crickets	Tangerine	2½-3	U-S	"	2.25
AARS Lilibet	Dawn pink	2-3	S	"	2.00
AARS Ma Perkins	Shell pink	2-3	U-S	"	2.00
Margo Koster	Pale orange	2	compact	"	1.25
Masquerade	Yellow pink red	3	S	"	2.00
Pink Bountiful	Pink	3-4	U	"	1.50
AARS Pinkie	Pink	2	compact	"	1.75
Pinocchio	Salmon pink	3-4	S	"	1.50
Poulsen's Bedder	Rose pink	3-4	U	"	1.50
Poulsen's Pearl	Pearly pink	2-2½	U	"	2.00
Red Favorite	Deep red	2-3	U	"	1.75
Red Pinocchio	Red	3	S	"	1.50
Rosenelfe	Pink	3-4	U	"	1.50
Spartan	Burnt Orange	2½	U-S	"	2.75
Sunshine	Golden orange	1	S	Pacific Coast	1.50
The Fairy	Shell pink	2½	S	General	1.50
AARS Vogue	Cherry coral	3-4	U-S	"	2.00

CLIMBING ROSES

Clg. Blaze	Scarlet	10-15	General	\$1.50
Clg. Cecile Brunner	Pink	20-30	South & West U.S.	1.50
Clg. Charlotte Armstrong	Deep pink	15	" " " " "	2.50
Clg. Crimson Glory	Red-dark	8-10	South & East	2.50
Clg. Duchess of Penaranda	Apricot	10-15	South & West U.S.	1.50
Clg. Etoile de Holland	Red	15-20	" " " " "	1.50
Clg. Goldilocks	Yellow	15	General	2.50
ARRS Highnoon	Yellow	8-12	"	2.50
Clg. Hinrich Gaede	Orange red	10-20	South & West U.S.	1.75
Clg. Lowell Thomas	Yellow	8-10	General	2.50
Clg. Mme. Henri Guillot	Coral red	8-10	South & West	2.00
Clg. Mrs. Sam McGredy	Salmon	15-20	" " " "	1.75
Clg. Paul's Scarlet	Red	10-15	General	1.50
Clg. Peace	Yellow	15	"	2.00
Clg. Picture	Pink	8-15	South & West	2.00
Clg. Pinkie	Pink	8-10	* " " "	2.75
Clg. Pinocchio	Salmon-pink	15	General	2.50
Clg. Red Talisman	Red	15-20	South & West	1.50
Clg. Renae	Pink	8-10	" " "	2.50
Clg. Snowbird	White	6-8	General	1.50
Clg. Souvenir de Claudius Denoyel	Crimson	10	"	1.50
Clg. Sungold	Yellow	10-20	South & West	1.75
Clg. Sutter's Gold	Yellow	15	General	2.50
Clg. Talisman	Red yellow	15-20	South & West	1.50
Clg. Texas Centennial	Light red	15-20	" " "	2.00

Bush Roses

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straight stems and are especially fine for cutting in a tight bud. The upright plants have excellent, thick foliage that is disease resistant. Blooms abundantly.

ENA HARKNESS \$1.50

This English rose is gaining in popularity for its excellent bright red color and velvety texture. It is most attractive in the bud and is fine for cutting although it is not too double in the open flower. Fine fragrance. Best in cool climates.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE \$1.50

One of the best of the red roses. A beautiful dark, velvety maroon red that seldom blues. Very fragrant and excellent as a cut flower. Growth sometimes rather slow the first year, after that a vigorous grower with an abundance of disease-resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

FANDANGO (Swim '50) \$2.00

The bright scarlet buds of this fine rose open to brilliant cerise flowers that have a crisp, ruffled appearance. An early bloomer it has glossy foliage and makes a very compact and colorful show in your garden. Fragrance is mild.

PLANT PAT. 894

FIRST LOVE \$2.25

An outstanding new rose for profusion of bloom. The flowers are a dainty rose-pink shading to dawn pink and are borne singly on long stems. The buds are long, slender and urn-shaped with each of its 20-30 petals coming to a sharp point. Mild fragrance. Fine for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 921

FORTY-NINER (H. Swim) \$2.25

A most brilliant rose of vivid Oriental red with a reverse of chrome yellow changing to straw yellow. Buds are well shaped and have from 25 to 40 petals. Moderately fragrant. Plant is a strong grower with medium size, dark glossy foliage. A distinct novelty, which is at its best in the spring and fall.

PLANT PAT. 792

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI \$1.25

This hybrid perpetual is one of the oldest in commerce today and one of the purest whites. The buds are large, long-pointed, tinged with carmine pink and open to snow-white blooms. At its best in the warmer climates.

FRED EDMUNDS \$2.00

For our coastal regions and in the cooler climates, Fred Edmunds is a glorious rose. The slender pointed buds of burnt orange, open to beautiful roses of 25 petals of coppery orange changing to soft apricot. The plant is a moderate, bushy grower with beautiful glossy, dark green foliage.

PLANT PAT. 731

FRED HOWARD (Howard and Smith '51) \$2.50

This 1952 All American Selection is an extremely vigorous grower. The foliage is glossy, quite disease resistant, and covers the large bush very well. The pale yellow to buff flowers are borne singly on sturdy stems. The flower is large and very double.

PLANT PAT. 1006

GIRONA \$1.50

A good strong grower of great productivity and fine fragrance. The buds are long, pointed, of fine form, and are turkey red and golden yellow; a most pleasing combination. The plant is a strong upright grower, with long, sturdy stems, having leathery, disease-resistant foliage.

GOLDEN SCEPTER (Spek) \$2.00

A new golden yellow rose of profuse blooming habits. The buds are high-centered, semi-double, compact and

of a deeper color than Eclipse. This is probably not too good an exhibition rose for the flowers tend to come in clusters. You will like it for its profusion of bloom. Foliage is a dark, glossy green. Plants are open and free branching.

PLANT PAT. 910

GOOD NEWS (Meilland '40) \$2.00

The buds of coppery pink open slowly to a very large double blossom of 60 or more petals of a soft, satiny, pale pink. The plants are vigorous and tend to grow tall but do not become "leggy" as the foliage is maintained to the ground.

PLANT PAT. 426

GRANDE DUCHESSE CHARLOTTE \$2.00

These long, claret red to chestnut red buds open to firm petalled blooms of tomato red. In the open flower the petals recurve to make a delightful relaxed rose of artistic beauty with a faint carnation fragrance. Plants are tall, vigorous, and well branched with blooms that are borne singly on sturdy stems. A good cutting rose.

PLANT PAT. 774

GRAND'MERE JENNY (Meilland '50) \$2.00

See page three

HELEN TRAUBEL (Swim '52) \$2.50

This lovely All American Selection will produce quantities of luminous apricot to sparkling pink blossoms depending upon the weather. The buds are long, tapering, and open to a large full blown bloom of excellent fragrance. The plant will be one of the largest in your garden with foliage that is disease resistant. It is an excellent bloomer and will produce quantities of blossoms the first year.

PLANT PAT. 1028

J. OTTO THILOW \$1.50

This is one of the finest, most perfectly formed pink roses. The flower is large, double, high centered and of a glowing rose pink. A constant bloomer. Growth is vigorous and with an abundance of thick leathery foliage.

JUNO (Swim '50) \$2.25

Extraordinarily large clear pink flowers make this rose unique. The 40 petalled blooms are high centered and very graceful. The color is pleasing as it fades to a softer pink. Foliage is semi-glossy and leathery. The stems are short and very stout.

PLANT PAT. 895

K. T. MARSHALL \$1.75

A lovely bloom of warm clear pink which has heavily textured petals. Nicest in the bud and half-open bloom. Fruity fragrance. Good leathery foliage and nice stems for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 607

LADY FORTEVIOT \$1.50

It is a deep golden yellow changing to deep apricot and having a very pleasing fragrance. A vigorous, bushy grower with glossy, bronzy green foliage and a continuous bloomer. Excellent in nearly all sections, but particularly recommended for coastal climate.

LADY TRENT \$1.50

An excellent English rose of coppery orange. Buds are high-pointed and open to a compact double bloom of 50 petals. The dark green glossy foliage is exceptionally free of disease.

LOVESONG (Fisher '55) See page three \$2.50

LOWELL THOMAS \$2.00

This yellow rose is one of the best of the newer roses. The nicely formed buds of chrome yellow open to large flowers of rich yellow with a moderate fragrance. The plant is a strong grower with large, dark green foliage that has been free of disease.

PLANT PAT. 595



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Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total	Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total	Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total
	Autumn	\$1.50			Lovesong	\$2.50			*Tallyho	\$2.00	
	Blanche Mallerin	2.00			*Lowell Thomas	2.00			Texas Centennial	1.50	
	*Capistrano	2.00			Lulu	1.25			The Doctor	1.50	
	Caprice	1.50			Lydia	1.50			*Tiffany	2.75	
	Charles Mallerin	2.50			Mark Sullivan	1.75			Virgo	2.00	
	*Char. Armstrong	2.00			McGredy's Yellow	1.50			Wm. Harvey	2.00	
	Christopher Stone	1.50			Michelle Meiland	2.00					
	*Chrysler Imperial	2.50			*Mission Bells	2.00					
	Claude	2.00			Mme. Henri Guillot	2.00					
	Crested Pink Moss	1.50			*Mojave	2.75					
	Crimson Glory	1.50			Mrs. Miniver	2.50			GRANDIFLORA		
	Dainty Bess	1.25			Mrs. Sam McGredy	1.50			Buccaneer	\$2.50	
	Duch. of Penaranda	1.25			Neige Parfum	1.50			Carrousel	2.00	
	Eclipse	1.50			Nev. Chamberlain	1.75			Montezuma	2.75	
	Ena Harkness	1.50			New Yorker	2.00			*Queen Elizabeth	2.75	
	Etoile de Holland	1.50			*Nocturne	2.00					
	Fandango	2.00			*Peace	2.50					
	First Love	2.25			Peach Blow	1.50					
	*Forty-Niner	2.25			Picture	1.50					
	Frau Karl Druschki	1.25			President Hoover	1.25					
	*Fred Edmunds	2.00			Red Ensign	2.00					
	*Fred Howard	2.50			Rubaiyat	1.75					
	Girona	1.50			*San Fernando	1.75					
	Golden Scepter	2.00			Saturnia	1.75					
	Good News	2.00			Shining Star	1.50					
	*Grande D. Charlotte	2.00			Show Girl	2.00					
	Grand'mere Jenny	2.00			Signora	1.75					
	*Helen Traubel	2.50			Sleigh Bells	2.00					
	J. Otto Thilow	1.50			Snowbird	1.50					
	Juno	2.25			Sonata	1.75					
	*K. T. Marshall	1.75			*Sutter's Gold	2.25					
	Karl Herbst	2.00			Sweet Sixteen	1.75					
	Lady Forteviot	1.50			Tahiti	2.00					
	Lady Trent	1.50			Talisman	1.25					
Total Col. 1				Total Col. 2				Total Col. 3			

PLEASE USE REVERSE SIDE

The above prices are for bare root plants only and do not apply to plants growing in containers.

Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total	Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total	Quantity	Total
	POLYANTHAS AND FLORIBUNDAS				Sutter's Gold	2.50			Total Column 1
					Talisman	1.50			
	Baby Blaze	\$2.00			Texas Centennial	2.00			Total Column 2
	Betty Prior	1.50							
	Border Queen	2.00							Total Column 3
	Cecile Brunner	1.50							
	China Doll	2.00			TREE ROSES				Total Column 4
	*Circus	2.50			Please add 50¢ handling				
	Cocorico	2.00			& shipping charge for				Total Column 5
	*Fashion	2.00			each tree.				
	*Floradora	1.50							Total of Order
	Frensham	1.50							
	Garnette	1.50							If order is for 10 or more plants (do not include trees) please deduct 10%.
	Goldilocks	1.50							
	*Jiminy Crickets	2.25							
	*Lilibet	2.00							Corrected Total
	*Ma Perkins	2.00							
	Margo Koster	1.25							
	Masquerade	2.00							Total of Trees
	Pink Bountiful	1.50							
	*Pinkie	1.75							COLLECTIONS
	Pinocchio	1.50							(No further discounts and no substitutions. Discontinued after Mar. 31, 1956).
	Poulsen's Bedder	1.50						Quantity	Each
	Poulsen's Pearl	2.00						Gay Floribundas	\$6.25
	Red Favorite	1.75							
	Red Pinocchio	1.50						Three New Roses	6.05
	Rosenelfe	1.50							
	Spartan	2.75						All American Five	9.80
	Sunshine	1.50							
	The Fairy	1.50						Five Fine Roses	8.35
	*Vogue	2.00							
								Grandifloras	6.70
								Old Favorites	6.25
	CLIMBERS							All American Trio	6.90
	Blaze	\$1.50							
	Cecile Brunner	1.50						Fragrant Three	6.05
	Char. Armstrong	2.50							
	Crimson Glory	2.50						Supplies	
	Duch. of Penaranda	1.50							
	Etoile de Holland	1.50							
	Goldilocks	2.50							
	*Highnoon	2.50							
	Hinrich Gaede	1.75							
	Lowell Thomas	2.50							
	Mme. Henri Guillot	2.00						Sum of bush, trees, collections & Supplies.	
	Mrs. Sam McGredy	1.75						Add 3% sales tax in Calif.	
	Paul's Scarlet	1.50							
	Peace	2.00						Please add 50¢ handling charge for each shipment under \$5.00. Tree rose packing and shipping charge —50¢ per tree.	
	Picture	2.00							
	Pinkie	2.75							
	Pinocchio	2.50							
	Red Talisman	1.50						Total Amt. Enclosed	
	Renae	2.50							
	Snowbird	1.50							
	Souvenir Denoyel	1.50							
	Sungold	1.75							
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PLANTING AND CULTURAL HINTS

Open package as soon as received. If the roots are moist the plants may be planted at once. If, however, they appear dry, soak in water over night, and bury the entire bundle in a trench. Cover with earth and soak thoroughly. In three or four days the bushes will be ready to plant.

Cut off all bruised or broken roots with a sharp knife.

Loosen all labels, so as not to cut into plant.

Select a location free of tree or shrub roots, and exposed to at least half a day sun.

Dig a hole 18" to 24" in depth and width. If soil does not have good drainage, a gravel drain should be provided, Fig. 1.

It is always well to prepare the soil in advance of planting time. A mixture of 10% peat moss, 10% well rotted manure, and 10% alfalfa meal or rotted compost if available will produce excellent results. If neither of the latter two materials are available, use 15% peat moss and 15% manure. Mix well with 70% top soil.

Fill the hole half full of the mixture and firm well. Make a cone-shaped mound in center of hole, Fig. 1. Place crown of roots on cone, spreading roots, Fig. 2. Fill in above roots with soil and fill basin twice with water, Fig. 3. After water has settled, remainder of soil may be filled in, making sure the bud union is level or slightly above the level of the ground. In colder regions the bud union should be 2 inches below the surface of the ground. MOUND SOIL TEMPORARILY FOUR OR FIVE INCHES ABOVE THE BUD UNION TO PREVENT THE PLANT FROM BEING DRIED OUT BY WINDS, FROST HEAVES, ETC. BEFORE THE NEW FEEDING ROOTS ARE WELL ESTABLISHED. When growth starts, the soil should be removed to just below the bud union. Fig. 4.

All plants are moderately pruned. After planting, canes on bush roses should be pruned to six or eight inches while those on climbers should be 18 to 24 inches with the top bud pointing outward. Keep plants well watered all during the growing period.

Should you find a plant that is slower than the others in leafing out, make a frame around it and fill with sopping wet peat practically covering the entire plant. Usually this will bring the plant into full leaf within 10 days.

Roses prefer a soil slightly acid, but will tolerate a slightly alkaline soil. They seem to do well in both light and heavy soil, but *must*, however, have good drainage.

Roses are usually hungry and thirsty. One of our most common mistakes is not giving them sufficient water. Keep the ground moist. Water thoroughly each time. Frequency of watering depends on your soil, usually from one-to three-week intervals.

In the early spring, mulch rose beds with either cow manure, peat moss or lawn clippings. Manure is excellent if clean, but foul weeds and insect pests may be brought into the garden through it. Feed each plant a half teacup of a well-balanced commercial fertilizer every six weeks during the growing season.

If you do not use a mulch, cultivate the ground lightly after each watering; just enough to break the crust. Deep cultivating cuts the feeding rootlets.

Keep the roses well watered in summer. Allowing them to dry and go dormant causes the bushes to defoliate and sunburn.

Ground canes are the best wood on a rose bush. They are the soft new canes coming from around the bud union, with foliage and thorns identical to the older growth. Suckers come from below the bud union and have entirely different foliage, thorns and color. Suckers should be cut out as soon as identified.

PEST CONTROL

Roses, like all living plants, have insects and diseases to attack them. These may be controlled with little effort. The most important part of control is thoroughness and consistency. A program of spraying or dusting every ten days should be sufficient.

There are many effective sprays and dust on the market and new developments appear yearly, some of which are excellent. Often similar materials are sold under different trade names. We have found calcium polysulphide and fermate to be effective in the control of mildew and rust. Among the many excellent insecticides those containing malathion and lindane have proved to be very successful. In many sections combination sprays or dusts sold under various trade names give excellent control of disease and pests. A mixture of 9 parts of 325 mesh ground dusting sulfur to one part fermate has been used successfully as a dust in some areas. Consult local rose growers to discover what has given the greatest success in your community. Remember though that prevention is far better for your plants than attempting to cure an attack of rust, mildew, or blackspot.

A cleanup spray immediately after the winter pruning, consisting of 10 tablespoons of Bordeaux mixture to a gallon of water, is very effective in destroying fungi spores. This spraying should be repeated just before the buds break in the spring. Spray the ground around the plant, after raking up and burning the old leaves, as well as the plant.

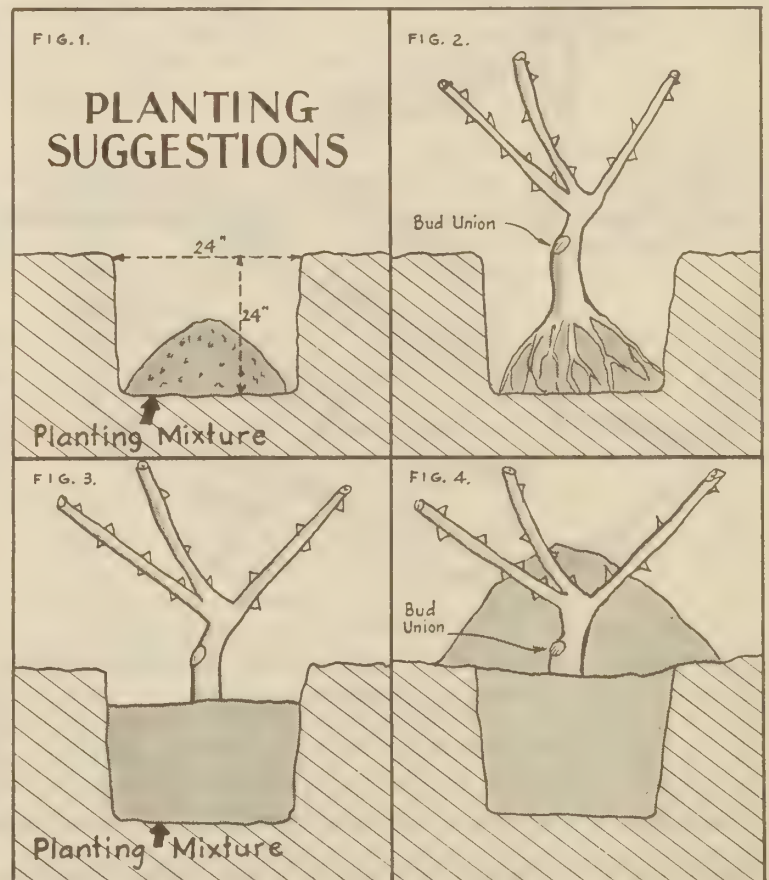
PRUNING

Pruning is very important. We cannot give complete instructions on pruning that will apply to all varieties and in all sections of the country. However, there are general rules that can be followed. As roses are produced on new wood, vigorous growth must be encouraged. During the dormant season, leave the new wood and cut out as much of the old wood as is possible and yet retain the form of the plant. Cut back about half of the previous year's growth, cutting $\frac{1}{4}$ inch above a leaf that is pointing on the outside of the bush. All dead and weak wood should be eliminated. Proper cutting of roses should be sufficient for summer pruning.

CUTTING ROSES

In cutting roses, always leave three or four leaves of the new blooming wood, cutting about $\frac{1}{4}$ inch above a leaf on the outside of the bush.

Cutting roses in the late afternoon seems to be the most satisfactory time. Double roses should be cut as the petals begin to unfurl, single roses as the petals separate showing the color. Tests have shown that many of the "home remedies" to prolong the life of cut flowers are ineffective or may even hasten wilting. It is best to give flowers a fresh, clean cut and remove all superfluous leaves before arranging. Plunge in water over night. Some of the commercial preparations which have proven beneficial when added to water are Survival 77, Floralife, and Bloomlife.



MAIL ORDERS PLEASE NOTE

PACKING AND SHIPPING

Our shipping season starts in late December due to a longer growing season and continues through March. It will help us greatly if you will suggest an approximate shipping date. We pay delivery charges on all bush and climber orders over \$5.00 to any point in the U. S. On each shipment less than \$5.00 please add 50¢. Special collections are sent to only one address. There is a packing and mailing charge of 50¢ for each tree rose.

DISCOUNTS

If ten or more plants are ordered, please deduct 10% of the total amount. Special collections and tree roses may not be included in this discount.

SUBSTITUTIONS

Due to unforeseen circumstances such as crop failures, or unusual demands for some variety, we may be unable to fill your order completely. Please indicate if we may substitute another variety of similar color and equal or more value that will do well in your locality.

GUARANTEE

We guarantee every plant to be true to name, to reach you in good condition, and to live and bloom in your garden providing the simple directions for planting included with every order are followed and weather conditions are not abnormal. We shall replace without charge any rose that fails to meet the above conditions if you will kindly notify us within six months after the roses have been received.

POTTED PLANTS

Potted plants are available about April first and throughout the summer at a slight increase over the prices listed in the catalogue. A fine collection of MINIATURE ROSES is also available in four inch pots during the spring and summer. WE DO NOT SHIP ANY POTTED MATERIAL.

PRICES

Prices are subject to change without notice.

TREE ROSES

FULL STANDARDS—Budded at 36 Inches

Charlotte Armstrong	Michelle Meilland
Chrysler Imperial	Mme. Henri Guillot
Ena Harkness	Mojave
First Love	Montezuma
Fred Edmunds	Peace
Golden Scepter	Snowbird
Grand 'mere Jenny	Spartan
Helen Traubel	Sutter's gold
Lovesong	Tiffany
Lydia	Virgo

Price \$5.00 each, Ten for \$45.00

QUARTER STANDARDS—Budded at 12 Inches

China Doll	Michelle Meilland
Chrysler Imperial	Peace
Lovesong	Spartan

Price \$3.25 each, Ten for \$28.00

On all tree roses please add 50¢ for each tree for handling and shipping charges.

PATIO STANDARDS—Budded at 24 Inches

Charlotte Armstrong	Michelle Meilland
Chrysler Imperial	Mme. Henri Guillot
Ena Harkness	Mojave
First Love	Montezuma
Grand 'mere Jenny	Peace
Helen Traubel	Spartan
Lovesong	Tiffany
Lydia	Virgo

Price \$4.50 each, Ten for \$40.00

WEEPERS—These six foot standards budded to a climbing variety are really spectacular. Write for list of available varieties. Price \$12.00 each (No discounts).

Frames \$6.00 Shipped express collect. Crating at cost.



FRAGRANT THREE

One each of Capistrano, Chrysler, Tiffany.
\$6.05—You save \$1.20—In Calif. add 3% sales tax.

CONNOISSEUR'S CORNER

For the first time we are listing some newer roses which are not generally listed in the catalogues and most of which have not been tested to any appreciable degree in this country. These varieties are for the rose connoisseur or hobbyist who wishes to try something new and different that may be very lovely in his locality. ALL VARIETIES LISTED BELOW ARE \$2.00 each.

BORDER QUEEN—An unusual shading of quince-red. Single, slightly wavy petals. Floribunda.

CLAUDE—Large, luminous orangish-red. Free-branching.

KARL HERBST—Very double dull scarlet called the "Red Peace." Fragrant.

MICHELLE MEILLAND—Exquisite! Soft, shell pink with salmon center. Profuse bloomer.

POULSEN'S PEARL—A lovely pearl pink floribunda similar to Dainty Bess. Large trusses.
























RED ENSIGN—Large, crimson, high-centered bloom. Fragrant.

TAHITI—Amber yellow buds with deep pink suffusion in open flower. Extremely vigorous.

VIRGO—Matchless buds of pure white. Excellent bloomer.

WM. HARVEY—Extremely large, high-centered scarlet buds. Fragrant.

Open 8 a.m. to 12—1 p.m. to 5—Closed on Tuesday from April to October.

- LULU**  \$1.25
Beautiful tapering salmon-rose buds make this semi-double rose of about ten petals a delightful addition to any garden. Its color and form make it ideal for corsages.
- LYDIA** (Robinson '49)  \$1.50
Intense saffron yellow flowers on a bushy plant whose dark glossy foliage has a leathery texture make this a most desirable rose. The medium sized flowers are high-centered, mildly fragrant and borne abundantly. Lydia is our deepest non-fading yellow.
- MARK SULLIVAN**  \$1.75
For a display of dazzling color, Mark Sullivan is the rose to produce it. A strong growing plant with dark green foliage, it produces an abundance of flowers throughout the season. The ovoid buds are golden yellow heavily veined with rose pink and cerise; a brilliant display of color in the open flower. This rose is at its best in warm climates. PLANT PAT. 599
- McGREDY'S YELLOW**  \$1.50
A really fine rose and a very prolific grower and bloomer. Flowers are large and of a bright buttercup yellow of good form. Foliage is glossy, dark green with deep reddish green stems. This is truly one of our finest yellows.
- MISSION BELLS**  (Germain's Seed Co.) \$2.00
An early blooming deep salmon pink rose. The long pointed buds, usually borne singly on a stem, open to full centered flowers of average fragrance. The plant is exceptionally vigorous in growth and rangy in habit and seemingly quite resistant to disease. An excellent rose. PLANT PAT. 923
- MME. HENRI GUILLOT** (Mallerin)  \$2.00
The long urn shaped buds of orange, coral, and red have made this rose one of the most deservedly popular in the country. The open flower is camellia shaped and the petals have a heavy texture. Foliage is a heavy dark green that covers the plant to the ground. Excellent for cutting. PLANT PAT. 337
- MOJAVE**  (Swim '54) See back cover \$2.75
- MRS. MINIVER**  \$2.50
This cardinal red rose is probably the most dazzlingly bright of all the reds. It has about 20 large, ruffled petals which are arranged in a loose, artistic fashion. PLANT PAT. 725
- MRS. SAM McGREDY**  \$1.50
The wonderful combination of copper, salmon, and pink have made this a most popular rose. Buds are large and long pointed. The flowers are double, fragrant, and a pleasing coppery-pink. Foliage is glossy and a dark, reddish green.
- NEIGE PARFUM**  \$1.50
One of the most fragrant roses. The long, well formed bud is creamy white, but with faint shadings of lemon at the base, and opens to peony shaped flower of pure white. These flowers are produced on long stems from a medium full plant, clothed in dark, heavy foliage.
- NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN**  \$1.75
For beautifully formed buds with a high center this rose is hard to beat. The color is somewhat similar but softer than Mrs. Sam McGredy, burnt orange and buff. The plant is a strong grower with fine foliage. PLANT PAT. 428
- NEW YORKER** (Boerner '47)  \$2.00
An attractive double red rose that is excellent for cutting. The blooms are borne on sturdy stems and do not blue under normal conditions. Plants are vigorous and somewhat spreading. A showy rose that will give you much satisfaction. PLANT PAT. 823
- NOCTURNE**  (Swim) \$2.00
One of the newer red roses. The buds which are long and streamlined, are very dark red with blackish sheen. Plant is a strong bushy grower with dark green foliage. Moderately fragrant. Will mildew in cooler climates. Best in very warm, dry climate. PLANT PAT. 713
- PEACE**  (Meilland '45) \$2.50
Peace is one of the finest roses ever introduced. The large primrose yellow buds, tinged cerise become lighter as the flower opens and the watermelon shades of the edges become more intense. It is a very strong grower with excellent dark green, leathery disease resistant foliage and sturdy stems. Truly it is the "Queen of the Show." PLANT PAT. 591
- PEACH BLOW**  \$1.50
A beautifully formed fragrant double rose of peach pink, flushed and veined rose pink, with a golden base, produced on strong stems. Excellent for cutting. Plant is a very vigorous grower with dark green, leathery, disease-resistant foliage. Excellent in coastal areas.
- PICTURE**  \$1.50
A rose worthy of its name! Each medium sized flower is perfectly and compactly formed. The center is high pointed with the outer petals being reflexed. The color is a warm velvety rose pink with an undertone of salmon. A medium grower and an abundant bloomer. Somewhat more susceptible to mildew than is desirable but well worth having.
- PRESIDENT HOOVER**  \$1.25
A very strong upright grower whose blooms are borne on sturdy stems. The orangish pink buds are long, pointed and open to large fragrant blooms of pink, buff, and yellow. Fine for cutting.
- RUBAIYAT**  \$1.75
A brilliant rose-red with a long, graceful bud. The color in the half-open flower is accentuated by the reverse side of the petal which is several shades lighter. A tall, vigorous grower with dark green foliage and strong stems. Best in warm areas. PLANT PAT. 758
- SAN FERNANDO**  (Morris) \$1.75
This is a satisfactory new red rose for warmer climates. Buds are long, pointed, and open to double non-fading flowers of glowing scarlet with exceptionally strong fragrance. Plant is a strong upright grower with heavy, semi-glossy foliage. PLANT PAT. 785
- SATURNIA**  \$1.75
Probably the best and most spectacular of the bi-colors. The long, pointed buds are high-centered and open to a brilliant cardinal red flower with a reverse of salmon, yellow, and copper. Excellent dark green foliage and a fruity fragrance. Especially fine in a coastal climate. PLANT PAT. 349
- SHINING STAR**  \$1.50
High centered yellow of excellent form. A favorite in the Bay area and other cool climates.
- SHOW GIRL** (Lammerts)  \$2.00
The long, very deep pink buds and flowers of Show Girl make it a distinctive rose. Stems are long and sturdy and fine for cutting. The plant is a strong grower with dark green foliage. It is a prolific bloomer. PLANT PAT. 646
- SIGNORA**  \$1.75
This rose from Italy is a real masterpiece, in both plant and bloom. Long bud of a warm burnt sienna opening to a lighter hue toward mandarin. The plant is a tall grower



(4 ft.) with every bloom on a long, strong stem. The foliage is handsome. (Colle Oppio Gold Medal 1935.)

PLANT PAT. 201

SLEIGHBELLS (Howard '45) \$2.00

Large, ovoid buds open to a 40 petalled white flower with a slightly creamy center. A profuse bloomer with excellent foliage. It is considered one of the best whites in the Bay area.

PLANT PAT. 1004


SNOWBIRD \$1.50

Here is one of the best white roses under most conditions. The medium sized buds are especially attractive and possess fine fragrance. The high centered blooms open to large, very double, flat flowers that appear to be somewhat tufted. The foliage is excellent and the plant free-blooming.

SONATA \$1.75

An excellent cut rose and fine for exhibition. The long pointed buds are of cochineal red which changes to a lively deep pink as the flower ages. Blooms are borne on long sturdy stems with foliage that has a good leathery texture. May fade at times.

PLANT PAT. 732

SUTTER'S GOLD (Swim '50)  \$2.25

An exquisite rose with its long, pointed buds of orangish-yellow shaded orange and red. The half-opened flower is lovely with its spiralled center and fine fragrance. Blooms are borne singly on long stems and the plant is excellent for repeat bloom. Foliage is dark green and very resistant to disease.

PLANT PAT. 885


SWEET SIXTEEN (W. E. Lammerts) \$1.75

Here is a superb rose, particularly adapted to coastal areas. The long slender buds open to beautifully formed flowers of light pink with shades of rose and gold. These sweetly scented blooms are borne on strong stems and are excellent cut flowers.

PLANT PAT. 631

TALISMAN \$1.25

The color is a mixture of red, yellow and copper in varying proportions. The bud is long pointed and opens to a medium size flower of the same colors. Extremely fragrant. An excellent cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright. Mildews slightly.

TALLYHO  (H. C. Swim) \$2.00

Tallyho is an attractive large bi-color pink rose with a spicy fragrance. The large ovoid buds of Chinese red pale to Chinese rose as the bloom opens. The color and form of the flower are both distinctive. Plants are strong growing and sturdy. Best adapted to warmer regions.

PLANT PAT. 828


TEXAS CENTENNIAL \$1.50

Texas Centennial is a sport of the popular rose President Hoover. Type of growth is the same although it appears to have more and better foliage. Quite prolific in bloom. Flowers are brick red, having a faint tinge of gold, with a lighter center. This rose has shown up very well. A splendid exhibition rose.

PLANT PAT. 162

THE DOCTOR \$1.50

The Doctor is a fine addition to our small group of fine true pink roses. The buds are very long and pointed and open to very large double flowers of light pink. The plant is a medium grower, intensely fragrant.

TIFFANY  (Lindquist '54) See back cover \$2.75

GRANDIFLORA ROSES

BUCCANEER (Swim '52) \$2.50

Clear, bright yellow flowers on long stems that hold their color until the end in nearly all kinds of weather make Buccaneer a most desirable rose. Plants are extremely

vigorous and may get to be five or six feet by their second year in the garden. Foliage is a rich green and clothes the upright but well-branched plant to the ground. Excellent repeat bloom.

PLANT PAT. 1119


CARROUSEL (Duehrsen) \$2.00

A vivid dark red grandiflora that is shorter than the other two roses in this class. The flowers hold their color very well and are practically unfaded at petal fall. Does not blue. Fully opened flowers are three to four inches across. Foliage is excellent and disease resistant. Excellent keeping qualities as a cut flower.

PLANT PAT. 1066

MONTEZUMA (Swim '55) \$2.75

See front cover and pages 3 and 14

QUEEN ELIZABETH  (Lammerts '54) \$2.75

See back cover

POLYANTHA AND FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Polyantha are the small roses usually produced in clusters and commonly called "Baby Roses". Floribunda is a new classification of the larger flowering varieties of the polyanthas which are becoming more popular. They are most effectively used in mass plantings along driveways, walls or for border planting, etc. Floribundas come in a wide range of colors and produce a mass of color over a long period of time. All of those listed below are quite free of disease.

BABY BLAZE (Boerner '54) \$2.00

Similar in color to the popular climber, Blaze. The bright, cherry red flowers have a white eye and are borne in great profusion throughout the season. The bushy plants produce flowers in large clusters which drop their petals neatly at the end. The disease resistant foliage is a soft, clean green.

PLANT PAT. 1362

BETTY PRIOR \$1.50

For a mass of color and continuous bloom Betty Prior is one of the best. The single blooms, produced in large clusters, are shrimp pink on the inside of the petal and carmine pink on the outside. The plant is a very strong grower (5 to 6 ft.) with healthy, leathery foliage.

PLANT PAT. 340

CECILE BRUNNER \$1.50

The sweetheart rose. Buds small, beautifully formed. Flowers light pink with yellow at the base of the petals. A continuous bloomer and fragrant.

CHINA DOLL (Lammerts '46) \$2.00

An extremely profuse blooming plant whose cheerful rosy-pink flowers come in large heads and cover the entire compact plant. It is excellent for low borders and mass display. Flowers are more double and bushes are a little shorter and more compact than Pinkie.

PLANT PAT. 678

CIRCUS (Swim '55) See page two \$2.50

COCORICO (Meilland '51) \$2.00

A gay and sassy orange-red flower that darkens as it ages and in cooler weather. Flowers are large and semi-double (about ten petals) and borne in large clusters on a vigorous, upright, free-blooming plant. Good for cutting. Continuous Bloom.

PLANT PAT. 1193

FASHION (Boerner) \$2.00

An exquisite newer floribunda in a luminous coral pink color. The clusters of oriental red buds open to soft clear coral blossoms of slightly ruffled petals and golden yellow stamens. Plants are bushy and the foliage is finely cut



and somewhat susceptible to mildew and rust where such diseases are a problem. Lovely in borders or clusters.

PLANT PAT. 789

FLORADORA

\$1.50



Here is one of the new floribundas which is different from any other rose of its type. It is a brilliant cinnabar with shades of scarlet geranium red. The 25-petaled rosette flowers are borne in small clusters and in our coastal climate blooms about eight months of the year. The plant is a tall grower, 4 feet, with excellent bronzy green foliage.

FRENSHAM

\$1.50

An outstanding new deep scarlet crimson floribunda that produces masses of flowers on a bushy plant. The buds open to a wide flower of approximately 15 petals with golden yellow stamens. The flowers do not fade, repeat bloom is excellent, and plants are quite disease resistant. Upright, bushy habit. A fine addition in its class.

GARNETTE

\$1.50

This small brilliant red rose about two inches in diameter has long been a favorite florist flower. Plants are compact with new foliage of a reddish green color. The blossoms may blue in some localities.

GOLDILOCKS (Boerner)

\$1.50

Here is the best yellow floribunda we have seen so far. The buds are of medium size and open to very double, fragrant blooms which are produced in clusters. The plant is a vigorous, bushy grower, well covered with leathery, glossy, disease-resistant foliage.

PLANT PAT. 672

JIMINY CRICKETS



(Boerner '54)

\$2.25

See page two

LILIBET (Lindquist '54)



\$2.00

In addition to its delicate pink coloring, Lilibet, has a most excellent plant to recommend itself. The plants are very bushy, and compact with deep reddish-green foliage that is glossy and disease resistant. Each bud is perfection and is excellent for corsages and other arrangements. The coloring of the bud is a soft rose pink; the open flowers are a delicate pastel pink with yellow stamens. It is as lovely as its namesake, Queen Elizabeth II.

PLANT PAT. 1209

MA PERKINS



(Boerner '53)

\$2.00

The 1953 All American Award floribunda is a lovely shade of soft coral shell pink. The buds are urn shaped and have tinges of red in the outer petals. The bush is a sturdy, compact grower with rich green foliage that has been quite disease resistant. The plant is well covered to the ground. Blossoms have a mild fragrance.

PLANT PAT. 1143

MARGO KOSTER

\$1.25

A low, compact growing polyantha (24 inches) with an abundance of medium sized, disease-resistant foliage. The blooms, which are ovoid in form, are orange-red in color and are produced in clusters throughout the season.

MASQUERADE (Boerner '49)

\$2.00

A fine novelty rose that produces yellow, pink, lemon, red, and sometimes orange flowers all at one time on the same plant. Flower clusters are large and borne on a sturdy plant that has almost disease proof foliage.

PLANT PAT. 975

PINK BOUNTIFUL

\$1.50

These semi-double roses, with perfectly formed buds, are two-toned pink. Blossoms are produced in clusters throughout the season. An excellent cut flower. Plant is a strong, bushy grower.

PLANT PAT. 601

PINKIE



(H. C. Swim)

\$1.75

Here is a perfectly formed polyantha rose (baby) with long, slender buds. The open flower is about two inches

across. Pinkie is very floriferous, the blooms being produced in large clusters. It produces a very compact plant of about 24 inches with small, very disease-resistant foliage.

PLANT PAT. 712

PINOCCHIO (Boerner)

\$1.50

One of the best of the floribunda roses. The blooms come in fairly large clusters. The small pointed buds are salmon and gold changing to a soft clear pink. The plant is a bushy upright grower with an abundance of disease-resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer.

PLANT PAT. 484

POULSEN'S BEDDER (Poulsen)

\$1.50

A fine new polyantha for a profusion of rose-pink blossoms that are borne in large trusses. The plant is a vigorous upright grower with bronzy green foliage. It is very effective for a mass display of color and has excellent repeat bloom. Mild spicy fragrance.

RED FAVORITE (Tantau '51)

\$1.75

Deep glowing red blossoms make this a standout among the floribundas. The semi-double flowers are borne in huge trusses on a bushy plant that is seldom bothered with disease. Foliage is a deep glossy green. This is one of the best floribundas for us and it has not blued or burned.

It is excellent as a cut flower. PLANT PAT. 1189

RED PINOCCHIO (Boerner)

\$1.50

A popular addition to the Pinocchio group. The deep satiny carmine buds open to long lasting rich carmine flowers, which deepen in color and acquire a velvety cast as they open fully. The large clusters, interspersed with single blooms, have a delightful wild rose fragrance. The plants are bushy and rather upright producing quantities of flowers on long heavy shoots.

PLANT PAT. 812

ROSENELFE

\$1.50

This is one of the best of the floribundas for cut flowers. A vigorous, upright growing plant with large leathery foliage. Buds are long pointed, double La France pink. Blossoms are usually produced in small clusters.

SPARTAN (Boerner '55)

\$2.75

SUNSHINE

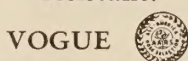
\$1.50

A very lovely dwarf polyantha (about one foot) that is at its best in a cool climate. Flowers are small, double, of a golden orange and borne in clusters. It is a continuous bloomer with foliage free of mildew.

THE FAIRY

\$1.50

The small coral pink buds open to very double blooms which are borne in large, arching sprays. The spreading plant (4-5 ft.) is very vigorous and a profuse bloomer. The foliage is a fine, glossy green that is disease and pest resistant.



VOGUE (Boerner '52)

\$2.00

This '52 All American Selection is a sister seedling of Fashion. It is a glowing cherry-coral color. The flowers are high centered and have a very lovely form. Plants are upright in habit and will become 3 to 4 feet tall, making them ideal for hedging and mass effects. The large tresses of flowers have a spicy fragrance similar to carnations. Foliage is a rich dark green that is disease resistant.

PLANT PAT. 926

CLIMBING ROSES

BLAZE

\$1.50

A spectacular climber that is similar to the popular Paul's Scarlet but is more recurrent in bloom. The cup-shaped blazing scarlet blooms are borne in clusters on a dark, leathery foliated plant that is generally disease resistant.

CLG. CECILE BRUNNER

\$1.50

A strong growing climber which produces quantities of small, beautifully formed buds. The flowers are a light pink with yellow at the base of the petals. The small, soft



green foliage is quite compact, forming an interesting background for the masses of pink buds and flowers.

CLG. CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG \$2.50

The climbing sport of the ever-popular bush is too new for us to report on its habits. In the field this summer it has made excellent growth and appears to be very strong and sturdy. Foliage is fine. PLANT PAT. 523

CLG. CRIMSON GLORY \$2.50

This is a good red climber for warmer areas. The typical Crimson Glory blooms, large, high centered crimson blooms, are produced on strong stems over a long period on a compact, well clothed plant. The combination of excellent form, fascinating fragrance and profusion of blooms stamp it as a good red climber. PLANT PAT. 736

CLG. ETOILE DE HOLLAND \$1.50

A climbing sport of one of our best red roses. This beautiful dark, velvety maroon red seldom blues. Its great abundance of fragrant blooms are excellent for cutting. Often the growth is slow the first year, after that it is a very vigorous grower, with plenty of heavy disease-resistant foliage. The best red climber.

CLG. GOLDSLOCKS \$2.50

Masses of golden yellow flowers that repeat all summer long are characteristic of this sport of the best yellow floribunda. Growth is vigorous and the foliage is lush and extremely disease resistant. Will bloom the first year. PLANT PAT. 1090

HIGH NOON (W. E. Lammerts) \$2.50

A pillar type yellow climber of spectacular color. The medium sized buds are a bright golden yellow, usually borne singly, which lighten when open, giving forth a mild fragrance. The rich green foliage appears to be resistant to the usual rose diseases. The continuous blooming habits, even through the summer, make it a most satisfactory accent plant. PLANT PAT. 704

CLG. HINRICH GAEDE \$1.75

A medium growing climber for a limited space, producing a continuous array of brilliant flowers. The bud is a clear nasturtium red, opening to a large, very double flower of orange-red. The attractive bronze-green foliage is quite resistant to disease. A good brilliant colored climber. PLANT PAT. 244

CLG. LOWELL THOMAS \$2.50

This climbing sport of its All American parent is an excellent addition to our list of climbers. Flowers are a clear lemon yellow and borne on long, sturdy stems. Foliage is a bright, deep, lustrous green that is disease resistant. PLANT PAT. PENDING

CLG. MME. HENRI GUILLOT \$2.00

An excellent appearing plant with heavy, dark green, leathery foliage. The buds are long and pointed and of a clear orange-coral and red with gold at the base of the petals. The opening buds are urn shaped and the open flower camellia shaped. It is very floriferous in the spring slowing down considerably during the summer and fall. PLANT PAT. 788

MRS. SAM MCGREDY \$1.75

We unhesitatingly recommend this as one of the very finest climbers. Its striking coppery-pink to salmon-pink blooms are produced incessantly throughout the season. The buds open to very full, double flowers of good fragrance. The plants are very vigorous and covered with an abundance of glossy green foliage which is a spectacular reddish-green when young. PLANT PAT. 394

PAUL'S SCARLET \$1.50

A most spectacular rose in the spring. Entire bush is a mass of medium size, intense, vivid scarlet blooms, often producing a scattering of summer blooms.

PEACE

\$2.00

A remarkable sport of the bush Peace. The golden yellow buds flushed pink at the edges open slowly into large, ruffled blooms of pale yellow to cream with tinges of pink. The plants are as remarkable as the blooms with their strong stems, shining dark green foliage and vigor. Repeat bloom is fine. PLANT PAT. 932

PICTURE \$2.00

Picture is one of the best pink climbers. It is very prolific in blooming habit and one of the best for repeat bloom. The blossoms are the same high centered specimen type blooms as in the bush. Excellent for cutting. PLANT PAT. 524

PINKIE \$2.75

This sport of the very floriferous polyantha has the same excellent blooming habit. The plant is completely covered in springtime with tresses of pink bloom. The repeat bloom is fine. It will make a delightful display in your garden. PLANT PAT. 1076

CLG. PINOCCHIO \$2.50

Strong sturdy canes and the same salmon-pink blooms that have made the floribunda so popular will be the reward of the gardener who plants this climber. Everblooming and fragrant. PLANT PAT. 1142

CLG. RED TALISMAN \$1.50

A fine red for early spring color. The large quantities of deep maroon-red buds are borne on long, strong stems suitable for cutting. In hot weather the buds pass to pink tones. The foliage is the typical Talisman light green.

CLG. RENAE (Moore '53) \$2.50

Here is truly an everblooming climber that produces masses of apple-blossom pink flowers all season long on a nearly disease proof plant. Foliage is excellent and nearly thornless. The small "Cecile Brunner" type flowers have a pleasing fragrance. It is of medium growth and could be used for a ground cover. PLANT PAT. 893

SNOWBIRD \$1.50

Although a good white climber is difficult to find, we feel that this is probably one of the best. The medium sized buds have a very attractive form and open to a pleasing many petalled flat flower. The foliage is a soft green.

SOUVENIR de CLAUDIUS DENOYEL \$1.50

An excellent type pillar rose. The very fragrant buds open to bloom of rich crimson scarlet. One of the most prolific bloomers as it is the first to bloom in the spring and the last in the fall with good intermittent bloom.

SUNGOLD (Geo. C. Thomas, Jr.) \$1.75

This is one of the finest yellow climbers. The buds are long, pointed and a clear golden yellow. As a rule, the buds come singly on long strong stems and are freely produced throughout the season. Disease resistant.

CLG. SUTTER'S GOLD \$2.50

Another climbing sport of an excellent bush variety that is too new to report on its habits. Its growth in the field this summer has been excellent and it features the same beautiful tapering buds and color that made it an All American winner. Foliage is excellent. PLANT PAT. 1185

CLG. TALISMAN \$1.50

A fine climber of a mixture of red, yellow and copper. The bud is long pointed, and opens to a medium sized flower. A very fragrant flower, suitable for cutting.

CLG. TEXAS CENTENNIAL \$2.00

An extremely strong growing climber which produces an abundance of long stemmed blooms suitable for cutting. The long, erect stems produce large brick-red to carmine-red buds of excellent form, which open into huge rosy red full blooms. PLANT PAT. 565



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PLANT PAT. 1176

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(Lindquist '54)

\$2.75

A magnificent silvery pink flushed golden yellow at the base. Flowers are large, double, high-centered and extremely fragrant. Plants are vigorous and flowers are borne singly on sturdy stems. At its best in warm weather.

PLANT PAT. 1304

QUEEN ELIZABETH



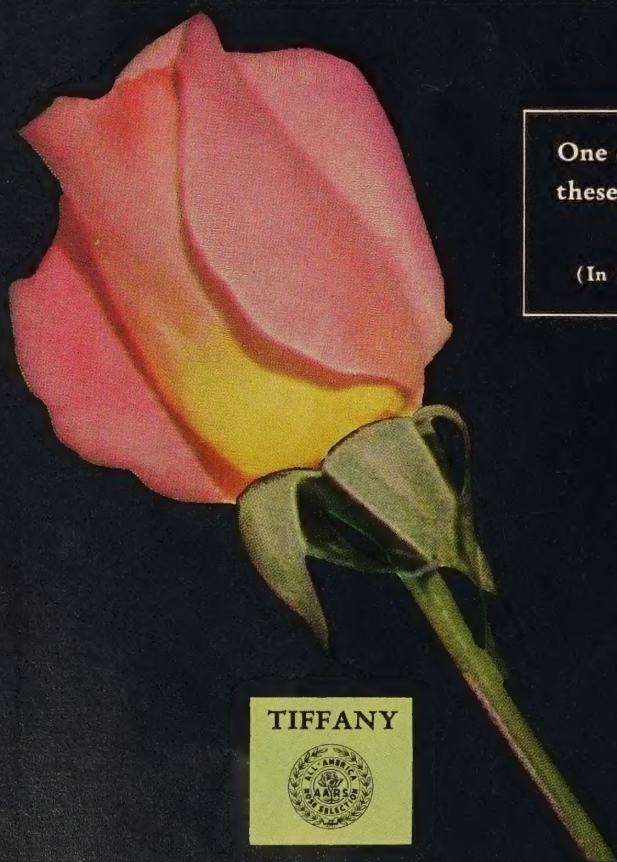
(Lammerts '54)

\$2.75

Delightful clear fresh pink blooms are borne in great profusion on an extremely vigorous and handsome plant. Foliage is heavy and an excellent deep glossy green that is nearly disease proof. An excellent cut flower. You will enjoy this rose in your garden, but don't plant it in the front row as it grows so very tall.

PLANT PAT. 1059

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